

"Reaching For New Horizons"

By S.S. Belcher

Topic for the Week:
LOVE - FAMILY STYLE
Dedicated to Evelyn Belcher and Bobby Gulley, and Falisha Robinson and Adriel Bilal.

You possess all the qualities of love in great quantity. Devotion to each other and old-fashioned ideas about family strengths will help marriage survive major crises.

Much love and faith in the strength of family love between a young couple is what keeps problems from becoming difficult and serious. Couples who marry young sometimes wonder if they've missed out on something special around the corner.

As time passes you'll realize that love and marriage and family are more important than trying to find out if you've missed out. It takes a lot of love to make a marriage, but it also takes morality and principles and respect for each other. It takes trust, too.

Continue to love one another. Whatever you do, strive to do it so well that no man living and no man dead and no man yet to be born could do it any better.

Strive for Excellence.
—Dr. Benjamin E. Mays

Scripture for the Week:
And whatsoever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, and NOT unto men; knowing that of the Lord you shall receive the reward of the inheritance; for ye serve the Lord Christ.
Col. 3:23-24

Did something good happen to you recently? Did you attend a special event? Did you have guests for the weekend? How about sharing your good news with the community — let me know about it.

Happy birthday to Onnie Bell Daniels and Ethel Horstead. Very special congratulations to Evelyn (Flip) Belcher and Bobby Gulley, and Falisha Robinson and Adriel Bilal on their forthcoming marriages.

I forgot last Sunday was Father's Day, so to ALL fathers - Happy belated Father's Day. Here's a special poem I gave my husband - I'd like to share it with the young fathers.

There's a wide-eyed little fellow Who believes you're always right, And his ears are always open, And he watches day and night.

You're setting an example He holds that all you say and do, For the little boy who's waiting To grow up to be like you.

—Coped

Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank all the friends and relatives who supported our benefit Bar-B-Q. Your prayers, kindness and donations are appreciated more than you will ever know. May God bless you all.
SAMMIE WAMBLES AND FAMILY
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Of the day he'll be like you.

You're the little fellow's idol. You're the wisest of the wise; In his little mind about you No suspicions ever rise.

He believes in you devoutly, Holds that all you say and do, For the little boy who's waiting To grow up to be like you.

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Cubs And Webelos Enjoy Week At Camp Alaflo

Nineteen Cub Scouts and Webelos from Pack 47 had a great week at Camp Alaflo Day Camp June 11-15. Theme for the week was "Carnival Capers", with the staff creating a carnival atmosphere throughout the week. The boys participated in circus-related activities each day, with daily themes as follows:

Monday - Clown Day

Tuesday - Strong Man Day

Wednesday - Animal Day

Thursday - Magic Day

Friday - Carnival Day

Fun-filled and exciting activities in which the boys participated included swimming, handicrafts, fishing, hiking, nature studies, sports and games, BB marksmanship, archery and first aid. These activities enabled the boys to work toward advancement in the Scout program.

The Webelos participated in a greater range of activities including aquatic games and sports, cooking, pioneering, orienteering, knots and a campfire program. The Webelos practiced these activities Wednesday and Thursday nights and late afternoons, as they stayed overnight Wednesday and Thursday.

One hundred sixty boys from Ozark, Troy, Brundage, Eufaula, Enterprise, Dothan and Elba registered at the camp. They were assigned to Cub Scout dens and four Webelos groups, with these groups competing in daily activities. The two Elba groups brought home top honors, with the Cub Scouts receiving the "Top Clown Staff award" on Wednesday and the Webelos receiving the same award on Thursday. For receiving these honors, the boys conducted the opening and closing ceremonies Thursday and Friday.

The Webelos also received other awards, including clean den area, for two days, the spirit banner and "You Win My Heart" award. The Cub Scouts received "You Win My Heart" award two days, the uniform award two days, the spirit award, and the "helping hand" award.

Parents joined their sons for lunch Friday and participated in the activities, and as a special treat, a carnival "Parade of Stars" was presented, including a sharpshooter, Wonder Dog, a magician, karate experts, wrestlers, Waterworld's Aquaduck, and a snake demonstration by two gasp-inducing snakes. Also enjoyed games and refreshments of hot dogs, popcorn, cotton candy and soft drinks.

Following the carnival the day camp officially closed with the awards and closing ceremonies and the launching of balloons.

Scouts again brought home top awards. In Webelos 4 Robin Stinson won the Sports award, Hayden Young the Archery, Tracey King the B.B. In Den 9 Jason Burch won the Sports award, and Kyle Padgett the B.B. and Archery award. The overall camp award of the blue ribbon for the B.B. contest, and Robin Stinson received the blue ribbon for sports.

Boys attending camp included Robin Stinson, Tracey King, Chad Blasi, Hayden Young, Will Moore, Todd McCall, Brent Goodson, Chris Parrish, Kyle Padgett, Lance McCollough, Alan Robinson, Jason Burch, Brett Bimbo, Rex Ogas, Kevin Brian, Eric Simmons, Daniel

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Brainstorms.....

With Ferrin Cox

The new space shuttle *Discovery* is still not off the ground at presstime, after two false starts earlier in the week. Apparently both times the problem has been in the computer that checked for problems and nothing was really wrong with the shuttle - but so be it. We offer our sympathy to the poor husband of the first American woman shuttle crew member. The snakebit man is a member of this space crew, and now twice they didn't get off the ground. Knowing women, we suspect she is giving Mr. Rawley a fit about the delays as he washes the dishes and fails to hear the washing machine act up and spill water all over the utility room.

Former Vice President Walter Mondale and Senator Gary Hart announced this week that "all is well" in the Democratic camp, and they too are united in their fight for the presidency. We regret that state legislators across the nation didn't have the backbone to take the action without having to make "big government" even bigger.

It now appears the federal government will move to require states to raise the legal drinking age back to 21 years old. Note we wrote LEGAL drinking age. While we favor this move, we have no illusions that it will prevent one determined teenager from getting a drink if one is wanted. The advantage is that youngsters will not be given the false impression that learned adults have given approval for drinking. We regret that state legislators across the nation didn't have the backbone to take the action without having to make "big government" even bigger.

We made a picture of a big, big rattlesnake last Saturday afternoon. Even though the reptile was very dead, we still shudder to think we might walk up on one without seeing him first.

The federal tax code is undergoing an overhaul in committee with 1082 changes not on line. Most of these hits folks other than us who make a dollar and quickly spend it, but some will hit us also. We don't worry today about losing tax breaks on our cars costing over \$16,000, but if prices do in the next ten years what they did in the last ten, a bike could cost that much. Some of our former friends who have one good year and then a couple of bad years, will be hit as they scale down income averaging, but maybe there will be enough breaks otherwise to balance that out. We still favor some form of flat rate income tax.

The State of Alabama is selling highway bonds and there is a big fuss among legislators over the spoils from the deal. We fail to understand "cause this issue is no different from any other Alabama has ever done... friends get the spoils and the spoils seem too high to most of us. Why complain about a bait you know was leaking after you let it sink? Maybe we should take a lesson and position ourselves at the trough for a handout also.

We went to Kinston early one morning last week. There were some folks - smart folks we might add - who were in the garden before seven a.m. At that time it is still a bit cooler, but before eight the coolness is gone, and by nine it is awful hot in that pea patch. However, they were smart enough to get in a little of that cooler air, even though the pea vines were wet with dew.

Interest rates are on the increase again with the announcement this week that prime was moving up to 13 percent. Again we say things are going to be brighter before the November elections, but for now we must suffer as the powers-that-be get things in a position of doom, so someone can "rescue" us from our problems.

Unemployment Rate Is Down In State

Alabama's unemployment rate declined for the fourth consecutive month, according to Bill Heatherly, Director of the Alabama Department of Industrial Relations. The May rate measured 10.4 percent, down from 11.1 percent in April and 13.9 percent a year ago, and represented 184,900 unemployed, compared to 197,100 in April, and 247,700 a year ago.

Monthly employment advances in the wage and salary employment component of the economy totaled 2,900. The most significant over the month increases were 1,500 in trade, 600 in construction and 500 in finance, insurance and real estate. The factory division realized a net

increase of 300, as losses in the non-durable goods sector partially offset durable goods gains. "Agricultural employment increases in May also contributed materially to the monthly downturn in the state's unemployment rate," Heatherly added.

On the national level, the comparable rate declined from 7.6 percent in April to 7.2 percent in May. Heatherly said he expected June's unemployment rate to reflect the influx of summer jobseekers into the labor market, resulting in an expected seasonal uptick in the rate for the next several months.

Family Reunion Set For July 8

All friends and relatives of the late Daniel Green and Mary (Harper) Cain are invited to attend a family reunion at the Old Pleasant Ridge Primitive Baptist Church, two miles south of Victoria on July 8.

Culver's To Celebrate 50th Anniversary July 1

The children of Fred and Eunice Culver cordially invite you to share with them as they honor their parents with a reception on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. The reception will be held July 1, 1984 at 6:00 o'clock in the evening, at Shady Grove Methodist Church.

Letters To The Editor

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Dear Editor:

In the next few weeks the voters in many cities and counties that read this paper will have the opportunity to select who they want to serve them as mayor, council members and county commissioners for the next four years. Many cities and counties are plagued with pornography problems, either in the form of magazines, videos, cassettes, films or maybe all the above, plus other sexual explicit material. If there is a problem in your city or county and you are concerned, now is the time to do something. The candidates need to be checked and screened closely. How do they stand on the pornography issue? What is their feeling toward alcohol and drug enforcement? Will they support strong law enforcement? Are they involved in church and civic work? These are just a few of the many issues that need to be addressed by the candidates. Now, more than ever, we need God fearing, moral individuals in leadership position. Individuals that have their city and county at heart and are not afraid to take a stand for what is morally right. Individuals that are concerned about Ideals and not Deals. If all the Christians and moral people will ban together, regardless of the color of skin, they can elect candidates that will take a stand against the evils that are plaguing our cities, counties and nation.

Proverbs 29:2 "When the righteous are in authority, the people rejoice; but when the wicked bear the rule, the people mourn." After election day, will the citizens of your city and county rejoice or mourn? If you are not registered to vote, go register and then go vote. Your vote will make a difference.

Thank you Mr. Editor for allowing me to share my comments with your many readers. Sincerely Yours, Larry H. Barton Mayor

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

The Elba Jaycees would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for helping to make our 1984 Bluegrass Festival a success. Without your willingness to help our festival would not be possible. The support given by the citizens and businesses of Elba is remarkable. I suppose that is one of the "treasures" of living in a small town. Your contribution to the success of Bluegrass '84" is greatly appreciated. Sincerely, Kenneth M. Calhoun Bluegrass Chairman

Bulletin Board

COFFEE COUNTY COONHUNTERS ASSN.-3rd Sat. 3 p.m. Club House. S.S. REP. - City Hall-3rd Tuesday. 8:30-12:30. Call VXX-6200 toll free. ROTARY CLUB - Mon. Noon - Holiday's Restaurant.

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AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur. 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall, Troy Hwy. BOY SCOUTS - Mon. 7 p.m. City Pool. RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tuesday 7 p.m. Library.

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Police Report

The Elba Police Department reported an active week with a total of one arrest and 11 traffic violations. The arrest was for assault while the violations were for speeding (5).

Seven People Expected To Lose Lives During Holiday Period

The Alabama Department of Public Safety estimates that seven people will lose their lives on Alabama's roadways during the Fourth of July holiday, according to Col. Byron Prescott, department director.

The traffic fatality roundup period begins at 6 p.m. Tuesday, July 3, and ends at midnight Wednesday, July 4, for a total of 30 hours.

During the 78-hour holiday period in 1983, 10 people were killed in urban and rural traffic accidents.

Prescott said all Alabama State Troopers will be on patrol during the holiday. "All leave has been cancelled, so the department's entire highway patrol force will be on duty on Alabama's roadways."

"The troopers serve as a highly visible reminder to all motorists to exercise extreme caution during the holiday and as a means of removing dangerous drivers from highways."

Holiday means of preventing accidents, and we urge drivers to observe this whenever and wherever they travel."

Prescott said motorists can help ensure a safer holiday for themselves and others by observing the speed limit and all other traffic laws and by refraining from driving while under the influence of alcohol and drugs.

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Letter from Jack Prescott

Dear Citizens of Elba,
As you know, I am a candidate for Councilman, Place 1 in the City election, July 10. I think you have a right to know why I seek this office and what contribution I think I can make if elected.

First of all, I believe my years as your City Clerk, being involved in all our city's services and functions, give me an insight to our problems that would be helpful in serving on the Council.

In my years of working in City Hall, I have tried to be a keen observer of our local government. I have watched both good and bad judgements made. I have felt pride when we have made progressive steps toward a better community, and I have felt sadness when I have witnessed our lower income folks and our retired people have to struggle to meet the ever-rising utility cost. I think we must find a way to give our people relief from these high rates, and I would like to devote my full energy in this direction, along with other problems facing us.

My reason for running for the Council is simple: Elba is my lifelong home town, as it was for my mother and father before me. I would like to offer whatever judgement and abilities I have in service to a community that has been so good to my family.

If the people of Elba see fit to give me this opportunity to serve, I would be most grateful.

Sincerely,

Jack Prescott
Jack Prescott

FRIDAY, JUNE 22
Activity included a possible shop-lifter at Piggly Wiggly (12:25 a.m.), a rescue squad transfer to Victoria (9:31 a.m.), a wreck on Davis Street (11:12 a.m.), a wreck on County Road 70 (2:52 p.m.), and a report of a subject shot on Taylor Mill Road (7:37 p.m.).

SATURDAY, JUNE 23
Activity included a prowler on W. Davis Street (12:13 a.m.), a minor wreck at the Big Bear (4:13 p.m.), and a wreck on 189 S. (5:17 p.m.).

SUNDAY, JUNE 24
Activity included a report of a prowler at Jack Vaughan's Apartments (3:07 a.m.), a disturbance on Lee Street (9:26 a.m.), a disturbance on Carver Drive (3:28 p.m.), a disturbance on Dr. Roberts Drive (3:59 p.m.), a Rescue Squad call to Beaver Dam Apartments (6:17 p.m.), and a rescue squad transfer to Dothan (7:38 p.m.).

MONDAY, JUNE 25
Activity included a rescue squad transfer to Pensacola (8:12 a.m.), a wreck at Auto Sav (3:19 p.m.), and a rescue squad call to a home on County Road 50 (5:47 p.m.).

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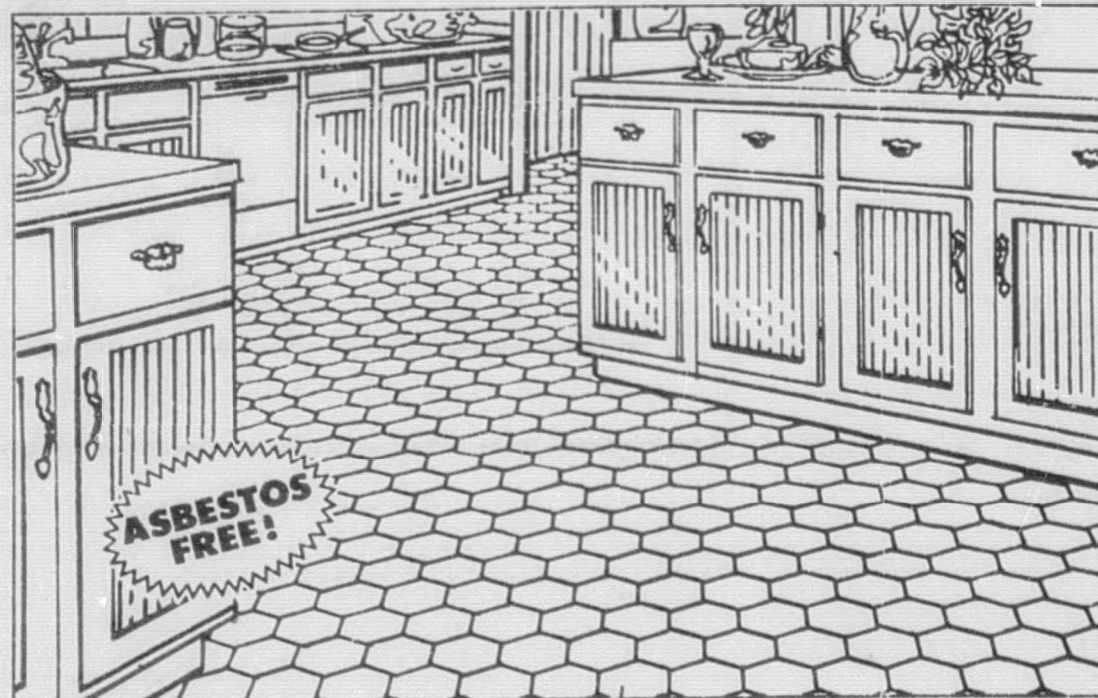
Lee Hunter Coleman Is Named National Award Winner

Lee Hunter Coleman, a student at Elba Junior High School, has been named a 1984 United States National Award winner in Science. He was nominated for this award by his science teacher, Mrs. Frances Prior.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain, and the Academy recognizes less than ten percent of all American high school students.

Lee's name will appear in the Academy's official yearbook. Lee is the son of Nelda Coleman. His grandparents are Myra and Nelda Smith of Elba.

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I am asking that we continue four more years of sound progress. With your support we will keep moving forward.

During the last three-and-a-half years much has been accomplished in our city. These accomplishments were achieved with the cooperation of you, the council, our various industries, civic clubs, Chamber of Commerce and city boards.

I thank you for your vote and support.

Re-elect

Bob M. English

MAYOR, CITY OF ELBA

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Bob M. English, Elba, AL

EARLY FILES

TEN YEARS AGO

JUNE 27, 1974

***Members of Westside Youth Choir traveling to Southport, Florida, to sing in the homecoming Centennial were: Felicia Newton, Beverly Fuller, Sheila Hornsby, Jean Kelley, Carolyn Mooney, Cricket Smith, Debbie Henderson, Tim Morrow, Steve Whitehurst, Allan Kennedy, Jimmy Morrow, Angela Conrad, Daniel Conrad, Lynn Whitehurst, D'Ann Wilson.

***Bette McCarr of Elba is pictured giving Patsy Smith of Wing a new hair style. The two are students in the Cosmetology department at MacArthur Tech.

***Holding first place in the Elba Women's Softball League are the Victoria Reds, with members Judy Greenwood, Lynn Doster, Sheila Mobley, Maxine Grissitt, Becky Flowers, Theresa Jinnight, Betty Foley, Jan Wise, Joan Price, Betty Turner, Anita Burch, Kathy Ward, Coaches are Marlin Mobley and Edgar Flowers.

***Mr. Daniel Kilcrease will celebrate his birthday on Sunday, June 30, at the home of his son, Joe Kilcrease, in Pine Level. He was 79 on June 26.

***Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kimbrell and family of Cullman spent the weekend in Elba visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wambles.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

JUNE 25, 1964

***A son was born on Father's Day Sunday at 2:10 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Marler. He was named Gregory Wayne. The Coffee County CowBelles gave the Marlers the weight of the new arrival in beef.

***Happy Times Kindergarten presented "A Trip Around the Calendar" for their graduation program. Those who graduated are Jimmy Pierce, Robin Bozeman, Stevie Cox, Susie Taylor, Gary Mulaz, Cindy Northey, David Smith, Joe Smith, Jean Kelley, Mike Driggers, Greta Lynn Sondergaard, Bruce Donaldson, Carla Tice, Ronnie Harrison.

***Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Jones of Elba announce the engagement of their daughter, Natalie Anne, to Robert Eugene King. The wedding will take place Saturday afternoon, July 25, at five o'clock at Westside Baptist.

***Miss Melba Jean Dismuke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Dismuke of New Brockton, became the bride of James Gordon Oakes Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Oakes of Comer, Alabama, on June 6, at four o'clock in the home of her parents.

***A cash register and candy display have replaced the old cracker barrel in the modern country store of James Wilson in New Hope Community.

***Willis Wilson, retired New Hope store operator, is pictured demonstrating the technique he used in pulling teeth for the community for 50 years. The pullkins have a curved handle on one side that fits over the little finger of the one filing the tooth. Emitt Johnson

THIRTY YEARS AGO

JULY 1, 1954

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models as a patient holding to his chair. . . Mrs. Willis Wilson made the bread and biscuits which kept her husband and 11 children going. She used a large wooden tray.

***On Sunday, June 11, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Perkins and family were hosts at a barbecue dinner given in honor of their son James, who was home on furlough from Ft. Eustis, Virginia, enroute to Fort Ord, California.

***Mrs. Oscar Hyatt (nee Anne Borders) will leave Montgomery Monday night where she will fly to London, England, to join her husband who is assigned there with the U.S. Army.

***The farm of one of Coffee County's pioneer physicians, C.W. Mixon, appeared in the Clipper last week. Dr. Mixon, who died in 1935, practiced medicine around Curtis from 1908 to 1935. At the present time the 75-acre place at Curtis and other properties are managed by Winston Mixon who lives with his family and mother at Curtis.

***Mrs. Eva Dallas Hudson, wife of Pvt. Jay D. Hudson, last Thursday bought a \$1000 War Bond for her husband who is now serving with the Armed Forces in England. She said she had been saving her husband's compensation checks, and this, along with some other funds, was invested in bonds for his security after he gets back home.

***Aubrey L. Wright, SK2C, who has just returned from seven months duty in the South Pacific, recently spent a 24-day leave with his wife (Annie Laurie Taylor) and little daughter Judy of Elba, and his parents of Brantley. He has returned to San Pedro, California, where he will enter school for a few months.

***Pvt. Willie Ray Hunter of New Brockton is now stationed at

Elizabeth Rountree Celebrates First Birthday

Elizabeth Rountree of Troy celebrated her first birthday June 22. She is the daughter of Karen and David Rountree.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Goodson of Goodman.

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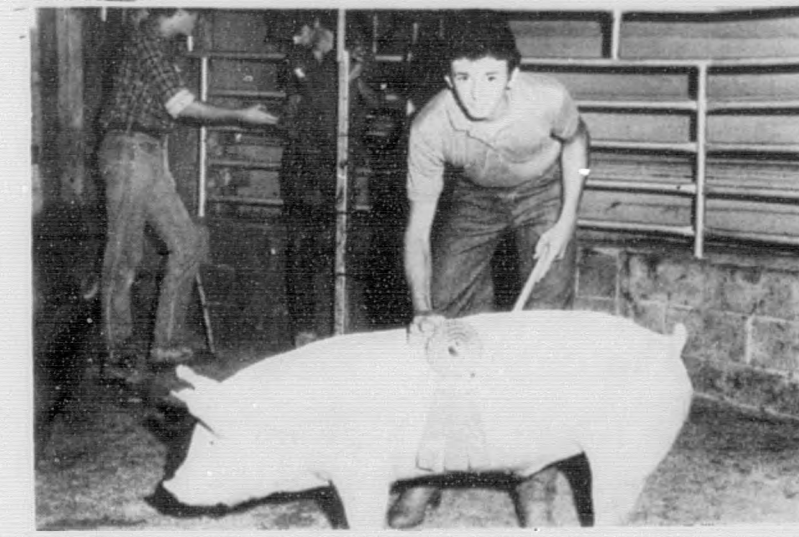
FUSARIUM WILT

I was visiting with Buddy Windham and Bill Stokes in Elba concerning their tomato problem. It turned out to be fusarium wilt. It seems that this is more prevalent this year than I have seen it.

The major symptom of this disease is yellowing of the lower leaves, usually on one side. The yellowed leaves gradually wilt and die. Yellowing and wilting continue up the stem until all of the leaves are killed and the plant dies. There is no soft decay of the stem, but the tissue under the outer (green) stem turns dark brown.

WATERING

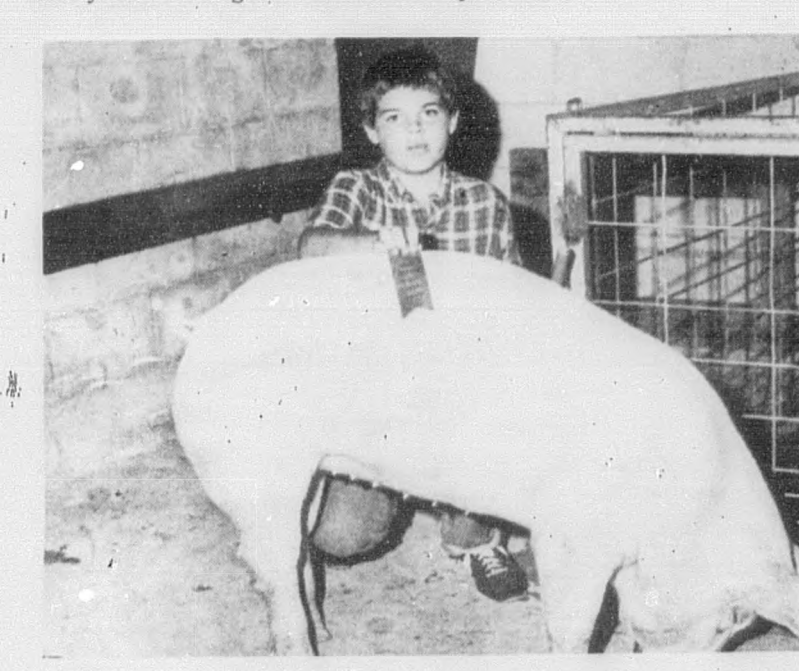
Be sure to keep your newly planted shrubs and fruit trees watered adequately. Most of these plants have a lot of new growth on them, and they use a lot of water. The root system on these plants is not fully developed yet and can suddenly die because of inadequate water. Soak the root zone to keep enough water close to the roots of the new plants.



THE GRAND CHAMPION- Jody Bass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bass of Rt. 1 Jack, Alabama had the Grand Champion hog at the Coffee County 4-H & FFA show. Jody is a 4-H member from Mrs. Debbie Wilkins 8-9th grade club at New Hope School. Jody was also the Senior showmanship winner at the county show.



ALWAYS AT THE TOP- Jamie Bass son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bass of Rt. 1 Jack has a beautiful trophy and pig to show. Jamie was the 3rd place Junior showmanship at the district show in Dothan. There were 12 other participants competing for this honor against Jamie. Jamie is a 4-H member from Mrs. Kathy Britts 4-5th grade club at New Hope School.



FANTASTIC- Michael Steward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steward of Rt. 1 Jack, knows the hog business. Michael is pictured here with his district class winner. This 205 lb. pig was purchased by the Elba Exchange Bank. Michael is a 4-H member of Mrs. Elizabeth Dyess 5-6th grade club at Zion Chapel Elementary.

4-H'ers Have Excellent County And District Hog Show

Four-H members should be real proud of their excellent performance in the Coffee County and the District Hog Show. The Grand Champion Hog was exhibited by Jody Bass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bass of Rt. 1 Jack. Jody was also the Sr. Showmanship champion at the County Show. In talking with Jody he said the hardest problem he had with his pig was watching his weight. Jody stated that his pigs gained nearly 2 lbs. day. This is just about what steers gain per day said Jody. Weight limits for the show was 200 to 260 lbs. Jody's brother, Jamie also had every right to be proud. He was the Jr. Showmanship Champion of County Show and the 3rd place Showman at the District Show in Dothan.

Jeff Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steward of Rt. 1 Jack is another happy 4-H'er. Jeff was also in the running for Jr. Showmanship Honors at the District show. Jeff carried three pigs to the district show and each place excellently.

Interested youth who feel they may be eligible for the program should contact the Summer Youth Office located in the National Guard Armory, Hwy. 167, Enterprise. These applications will be taken through July 16, 1984.

Summer Youth Program Jobs Available

The Alabama State Employment Service is now taking applications for the 1984 Summer Youth Program. Applicants should be 14-21 years of age and from an economically disadvantaged family. Families receiving Food Stamps automatically qualify.

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OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS of the Alabama Association of County Agricultural Agents elected at the organization's 36th annual meeting in Gulf Shores are, Seated: Ed Knowles, Brewton, left, secretary-treasurer and Wayne Thompson, Dadeville, president; standing, from left: directors Tom Casaday, Enterprise; Cash Howell, Clanton; Ed Tunnell, Bay Minette; Jake Mathews, Talladega; Waymon Pace, Russellville; J.A. Sharpe, Scottsboro; and vice president Curtis O'Daniel, Fort Payne. The association is made up of county staff members of the Alabama Cooperative Extension Service.



BELIEVE IT OR NOT! Costume night for 4-H'ers at 4-H camp provided a lot of excitement. Costumes ranged from "Boy George" to "E.T." Pictured, Front Row, L-R: Kara Reynolds - Kinston; Michael Wadell (E.T.) - Zion Chapel; Derek Deal - Elba; Back Row, L-R: Phil Boggan (Boy George) - Elba; LaDonna Chambliss - Kinston; Sandra Walker and Bo Pittman - New Brockton; Lee Dewberry - New Hope.

4-H'ers Thrilled By Camp

BY JACK B. TATUM JR.
Assistant County Agent

Twenty-six Coffee County 4-H'ers went to the beautiful 4-H center on Lay Lake in Columbiana, Alabama, June 6-8. This camp is a yearly highlight for many 4-H'ers. Activities began on Wednesday with courses on bike and electrical safety, archery, riflery, canoeing, plus many other activities. That night there was a friendly game of softball, then they headed to the gymnasium where the night's activities began with a costume party. Following this were plenty of exciting games, skills and even a dance. With over 160 4-H members in attendance, everybody had someone to dance with.

Thursday's activities began at 8 a.m. with flag-raising ceremonies. Following breakfast 4-H'ers split into groups and each group attended a different activity. Activities for this day included a camera workshop, netting for fish in Lay Lake, plus a boat ride.

Thursday afternoon 4-H'ers went swimming and then enjoyed hamburgers and an ice cream supper. Following supper there was

a climb to the tallest mountain and a story of a famous Indian chief who resided near the mountain. After the climb back down, 4-H'ers were involved in games and enjoyed a campfire. At the campfire were animal calls, singing and a skit. Friday morning the bus was loaded and headed down the road. Friday night at home these 4-H campers caught up on their sleep.

Touch Calling available in most areas.

Coffee Correspondence

TOMATOES
Care for your tomatoes properly, here's how. Keep fully ripe tomatoes in the refrigerator. Tomatoes with a slight green hue will ripen in a day or two at room temperature. Once a tomato is picked, light is not necessary for getting red color. A sunny, warm window still is not the place to ripen tomatoes. Finally, don't put unripe tomatoes in the refrigerator. Unripe tomatoes, if put in refrigerator, become pale, watery, soft and lack flavor.

BLEACH
Care labels will soon be changed. In fact, some care labels reflecting the new changes are now appearing on many garments.

The rule concerns terminology relating to the use of bleach. When textile items can be bleached safely in both kinds of bleach, liquid chlorine and non-chlorine bleach, the words "Bleach when needed" may appear on the care label. However, the label need not say anything about bleaching. So, if a new care label does not mention bleaching, the label means you can use any bleach, liquid chlorine or dry non-chlorine, when necessary.

When chlorine bleach is not safe to use, but dry non-chlorine bleach is, the label must say "only non-chlorine bleach when needed." Since virtually all washable fabrics can be safely bleached with non-chlorine bleach, it is expected that the "Do not bleach" label will all but disappear from the market place.

4-H'ers And Leaders Make Citizenship Trip

BY JACK B. TATUM JR.
Assistant County Agent

Mr. Charles Lowery, Zion Chapel elementary principal; Donnie Husey and Robert Routzong attended the Washington Focus Citizenship short course in Washington, D.C. recently. Lowery received his trip free by being a state volunteer leader recordbook winner, and Donnie and Robert were two of 60 4-H members attending.

The week-long program is designed to help young people understand the structure and function of our system of government, the heritage of our country and the importance of active participation as citizens.

In workshop sessions at the National 4-H Center, the young people discussed contemporary issues and concerns, and ways in which skills and knowledge gained through the program can be applied to the 4-H program here. They also participated in a pilot computer project, in which they experimented with a program to determine how public policy affects soil erosion and conservation.

Also, this is a presidential election year, delegates had the opportunity to participate in mock Republican and Democratic conventions, cast a presidential ballot and use a voting machine.

Robert Routzong had only one piece of advice to offer to those 4-H'ers who may be interested in attending next year: Sleep a week before and go. "I bet I only slept eight hours in seven days," Robert said.

Donnie said he enjoyed the Capitol as a classroom because one day included a visit to Capitol Hill to meet with members of Congress and see government in action. Lowery said that field trips to historical and cultural sites as well as to federal agencies and committee

Rickey Maddux To March In Independence Day Parade

Private Rickey Maddux, who is stationed at Ft. Dix, New Jersey, with the Army Reserve, was one of the 40 young men selected in a drilling competition to march in the Independence Day Parade in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Maddux, a 1984 graduate of Elba High, is the only person from Alabama stationed at Ft. Dix.

C.C. Humane Society To Meet

The Coffee County Humane Society will have its meeting on Tuesday, July 3, at 7 p.m., City Hall, Enterprise. The public is invited.

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SPORTS

VIEWS FROM

THE PRESSBOX

BY RICKY MULARZ, EDITOR

All the local baseball and softball action will take a week off July 2-6 for the week of the Fourth holiday and from an umpire's viewpoint...I'm glad! The week off will let me stay at home, watch TV and play with Melissa Hope. Yep, it's going to be a nice, quiet week.

It was announced last week that the State Basketball Tourney next year would be held in both Tuscaloosa and Birmingham. The 1A-2A-3A event will be at Memorial Coliseum in Tuscaloosa, with the 4A-5A-6A tourney to be held at B'ham's Fair Park. The tournaments will be held simultaneously making it impossible to see 'em both; however, I'll sure give it a try.

The Church Softball League has completed its second season and I think the league is here to stay. Five churches completed this season and next year I look for at least 8 teams to join. The optimism is created by the enjoyment everyone had, and plans for an expanded recruitment program. Just wait, next year will be bigger and better than ever!

While on the subject of church softball, I'd like to again mention a "Women's" church league. The league would give the ladies a chance to get a little exercise and have fun at the same time, and I think it too would catch on. If any church members agree, let me know. The league could start next spring or this fall, either one. Ask around and let me know the reaction.

The Elba Athletic Club will kick-off its 1984-85 season next week and it can't succeed if you don't get involved. The club supports all sports in Elba and needs active members to get involved. A membership drive will begin soon and I urge everyone to join!

During the past year, the Athletic Club donated over \$8,800 to Elba High School to help pay the cost of athletics. In addition to this, the Club spent \$4,450 in Elba on various items. This is where the money goes, so, you'll know where your membership fees, donations, and ad money goes. Get involved in athletics at Elba High - join the Elba Athletic Club!

Pirates & Mets Claim Narrow Wins In Dixie Youth Baseball Action

The Pirates and Mets pulled out hard-earned wins last week to remain 1-2 in the Dixie Youth Baseball League standings. The Pirates led at 11-1, followed by the Mets 10-2, Cardinals 10-4, Astros 4-10, Yankees 4-10 and Tigers 0-12.

Pirates 15
Astros 4

The Pirates pulled ahead early and never looked back in posting a 15-4 win over the Astros. The Pirates trailed 3-0 early, but took charge and rolled to the win. Todd McCall and Chris Thomas got three hits apiece for the Pirates, while Kevin Matthews got three hits for the Astros and Joe Johnson added two.

Cardinals 8
Yankees 5

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Cubs Clinch Minor League Baseball Crown

The Cubs clinched the Minor League baseball crown last week as they upped their record to 10-2. The Braves are in second at 7-5, followed by the Expos 6-5, Blueays 4-5, Angels 4-7 and Giants 3-10.

Expos 13
Angels 8

The Expos led all the way to rip the Angels 13-5. Thigpen and John Boswell got 3 hits for the Expos, while Daniel Bowden, Jacobs, Bryce Phillips, Greg Adkins, Brad Adkins and Dusty Smith all added 2. Jake Stokes and Alan Roberson got 3 hits for the Angels, while Che Vaughan, Chris Parrish, Dominique Daniels and Kevin Moore all added 2.

Cubs 8
Braves 4

The Cubs rallied to stop the Braves 8-4. Chris Hodge, Keith Martin, Ben Fleming and Daniel Kidd got 2 hits for the Cubs, while Gary Parker, Thigpen and Daniels all got 2 for the Braves.

Bluejays 6
Cubs 4

The Bluejays led all the way to edge the Cubs 6-4. Chad Smith, Eric Cox, Grant Coleman and Barnes got 2 hits for the Bluejays, while Steve

Blazers Upset In Girl's Softball League Action

The Blazers suffered their first loss of the season, but remained atop the Girl's Softball standings with a 7-1 record. The Braves follow at 5-3, while the Beavers are 2-4 and the Bandits 2-6.

Blazers 22
Beavers 4

The Mets led all the way to edge the Yankees 7-4. The Mets led 5-0 early and rolled to the win. Jason Grider got three hits for the Mets, while Wade Hart, Kenneth King and Derrick Hooks all got two for the Yankees.

Pirates 12
Tigers 9

The Pirates pulled ahead early and held on to defeat the Tigers 12-9. The Pirates led 9-5 in the second and held on for the win. John Jacobs got two hits, including a grand slam home-run, to lead the Pirates, while Joe Brooks also got two hits. Ronald McKinnon got two hits for the Tigers.

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Derrick Hooks

Hayden Young
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Jason Grider
Wade Hart

Bennie Wilkerson

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Vanessa White

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Connie Williams
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COUNTRY CLUB WINNERS . . . included (left to right) Dale Crowe, Larry Grantham, Joey Holley, John Osburn and Ferrell Hudson.

Joey Holley Wins Club Championship

The Elba Country Club held its annual Club Championship Golf Tournament last weekend and Joey Holley shot rounds of 71-75 to claim the club title by four shots over Dale Crowe.

A total of 48 golfers entered the 36-hole, medal play event. Complete results are as follows:

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT
A Division
Joey Holley 71-75-146
Dale Crowe 76-74-150
Ronnie Nicholson 78-79-157
Paul Wallace 75-83-158

B Division
Stan Marsh 79-77-156
Buddy Clark 80-77-157
Mike Carps 79-80-159
Tommy Skinner 79-80-159

SECOND FLIGHT
A Division
John Osburn 79-83-162
Ronnie Young 83-89-172
Donnie Williams 86-87-173
Dwight Kelley 86-94-180

THIRD FLIGHT
A Division
Larry Grantham 92-86-178
David Stokes 90-90-180
Bryan Grimes 93-89-182
Charles Lindsey 92-95-187
Charles Zimmerman 95-WD

FOURTH FLIGHT
A Division
Jim Clay 94-90-184
Tom Morrow 93-92-185
Clifford Farmer 100-103-203
Dykes Weeks 98-118-216

B Division
David Bandstra 101-97-198
Mark Vaughan 109-93-202
Tommy Thomason 103-103-206
Bob Cannon 106-108-214

C Division
John Taylor 114-108-222
Tommy Dewberry 121-117-238
James Grimes 115-132-247

District Tourney Dates & Sites Announced

District 7 Softball Commissioner Tom Brightwell has announced the sites and dates for the upcoming District Tournaments and included among the host sites was Elba. Elba will host the Men's Class B Tourney on Friday and Saturday, July 27-28, with the top finishers advancing to the State Tourney, set for August 10-12 in Tuscaloosa. A total of 18-24 teams are expected to compete in the District tourney, including the Elba Merchants.

The Church Major and Class A tournaments will be held June 29-30 in Enterprise. The State Major tourney will be Aug. 10-12 in Dothan, with the Class A State set for July 27-29 in Gadsden. The Church Class C District will be on July 27-28 in Enterprise (no State tourney to be held).

The Men's Class C District will be held in Dothan on July 13-14, with the State Tourney set for Aug. 3-5 in Montgomery.

The Women's B District will be held in Eufaula on July 20-21, with State slated for Gadsden on Aug. 10-12. The Women's C District tourney will be held in Geneva on July 20-21, with the State tourney set for Aug. 10-12 in Montgomery.

There will be no District Tournaments in Men's Major, Men's A and Women's A. The Men's Major State will be in Oxford on July 27-29. Men's A State in Montgomery on July 27-29 and Women's A State in Tuscaloosa on July 27-29.

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Lamar Sasser Grabs Spotlight In Men's Softball

Lamar Sasser got 6 hits in 7 at-bats and ripped 4 home-runs to blast Hammonds Body 22-9. The score was tied at 5-5 after two innings, but the Merchants pulled away for the win.

Work Release 9
Rebels 9
The Merchants edged the Rebels 9-7 to win its first game of the season. The Rebels led 6-4 after four-innings, but couldn't hold on.

Work Release 7
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This is to certify that the following list, as well as can be ascertained, comprises the total names of those eligible to vote in the City Election on July 10, 1984, and the runoff election, if necessary on July 31, 1984. If your name appears on the list and you do not reside within the city limits of the City of Elba, then you will not be eligible to vote in the elections. If your name does not appear on the list below and you do reside within the city limits of the City of Elba, and you have maintained your said residency for the preceding thirty days, then you will be eligible to vote in the elections. In the event that you feel that you are a qualified voter and are eligible to vote in the elections, you should come by City Hall during regular business hours on any day, 10 days prior to the elections to certify your eligibility with Joe Ann Wicker.

Joe Ann Wicker
Assistant City Clerk

In The United States District Court For The Northern District Of Alabama Southern Division

VICTOR UNDERWOOD and
CARMEN EDWARDS, for
themselves, etc.,
PLAINTIFFS

VS.
NELL HUNTER, et al.
DEFENDANTS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 78-AR-0704-S

TO: PERSONS IN COFFEE COUNTY NOT
REGISTERED TO VOTE

If you have been denied the right to register to vote or have been purged from the rolls of registered voters on account of conviction for a misdemeanor, you are now entitled to register to vote if you are otherwise eligible.

You may register to vote in the county of your residence. The Coffee County Board of Registrars will be open to receive your application to register at the following times and places:

June 28 & 29, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
July 2 & 3, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
July 5 & 6, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
July 9, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
July 11, 12, 13 & 16, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
July 17, 18, 19 & 20, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
July 23, 24 & 25, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
July 26 & 27, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
July 30, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
August 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & 13, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
August 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 & 29, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
August 30 & 31, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
September 5, 6, 7 & 10, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
September 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18 & 19, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
September 20 & 21, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
September 24 & 26, 1984	Elba Courthouse Annex
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October 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 24, 25 & 26, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse
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November 5, 1984	Enterprise Courthouse

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

There are also deputy registrars authorized to accept your application at various locations in the county including:

Mix Andrews	Rt. 4, Elba, Alabama
Alma Brock	New Brockton, Alabama
Beatrice Brooks	103 Cook Street, Enterprise, Alabama
Kenneth G. Davis	City Hall, Kinston, Alabama
Lonnie Hataway	Kinston, Alabama
Jimmy Jones	501 Dixie Drive, Enterprise, Alabama
Charles J. Lewis	
Dorothy J. Richardson	214 Cherry Hill Road, Enterprise, Alabama
Myra N. Riley	Rt. 5, Enterprise, Alabama
Stanley H. Walker	Rt. 4, Enterprise, Alabama
Edwina Williams	Sparks Street, New Brockton, Alabama
Glady H. Yelverton	910 Carver Drive, Elba, Alabama
	Rt. 2, Elba, Alabama

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"Reaching For New Horizons"

By S.S. Belcher

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:
Had I the choice either to wrong or be wronged, I would choose to be wronged rather than to wrong. To me, this is the meaning of the cross - and the road to peace and brotherhood.

---Dr. Benjamin Mays

SCRIPTURE FOR THE WEEK:
For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?

Mark 8:36

TOPIC FOR THE WEEK: Black History in Elba, Alabama
History is being made in Elba, Alabama, this year. We have a Black lady running for a seat on our city council. She should be commended for her courage, and for that reason I decided to interview her to find out what kind of qualifications and suitability she maintained to pursue such a position. After talking with her for what seemed like hours, I was convinced that she has the education, qualifications and suitability to run for any kind of public office.

Who is this lady? Her name is Gladys Yelverton, member of the Elba City School Board. I am delighted to share this interview with the readers of my column.

Question: Why are you running for a seat on the city council?
Yelverton: I've lived in Elba for 20 years as an observer. I no longer want to be an observer. I would like to be a promoter of our city and its growth. I would love the opportunity to work for and with the people of Elba. What will - and who will - be in Elba five or ten years from now? I want to provide an avenue through which the citizens of Elba will have input and will be informed of our short and long-range city plans.

Question: If elected to the Council, what kind of changes would you like to make or what would you like to do different from the way it's done now?
Yelverton: I'd work on what we've got now. There are a lot of good things happening in Elba, but I believe we can make things better. There is always room for growth and expansion. I would work for expanded recreational and senior citizens programs, continued support for our school system, and a communication network that we can all respect and acknowledge.

Question: Would you encourage and support "Inre Industrial developments?"
Yelverton: Definitely. I am concerned about jobs for our youth and others who are not employed within our city. This is an area that I would like to study, but if we are to grow, then this is definitely an area for growth within our city.

Question: What would you do to help Elba's self-image?
Yelverton: Elba is a good place to live. However, I would like to see the accomplishments of our schools and children publicized more. We may have a few things to do, but we've got a lot to be proud of here in Elba. I would like to think of Elba as a town that knows where it's going and has plans for how it will get there. As a city that has PREPARED CITY STATUS, I think we are well on the way.

Question: Would you support any kind of comprehensive program, such as rehabilitation and relocation, for the areas of Elba that are in poor condition?
Yelverton: Yes. The Rehab program in Elba now is one of the best things to happen to Elba, and I'm in full support of it. Now, for the Rehabilitation program - I would have to study it a little more to make sure I clearly understand the procedure, etc. There are a lot of sore spots within Elba that I and probably others would like to remember as a thing of yesterday.

NOTHING SO PRECIOUS
I opened the door
And there stood a child.

He handed me some flowers
And blushed as he smiled.
When he gave me the flowers
He lowered his head.
He spoke shyly and softly,
And I barely heard as he said,
"I picked these by myself
Just for you."
Because they're so pretty,
And you're pretty too!"
He smiled again and
Scramped off on his way,
Not even guessing
How he'd brightened my day.
I long treasured those flowers -
A gift of love, sweet and mild.
There is nothing so precious
As the gift of a child.

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"I would like to have good playgrounds for the children and have the playgrounds maintained! I also would like the tennis courts kept up in excellent condition."

"I have a deep caring for our senior citizens and pledge to serve all the people."

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Foyle Guy, Elba, AL 36323

RE-ELECT

CHARLES KENNETT
CANDIDATE FOR
Place 1



ELBA CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTED TO... I have tried and will continue trying to see everyone before election day July 10, 1984. However if, for whatever reason, I see you personally or not, I do sincerely solicit your vote for re-election.

COMMITTED TO... For the last four years I have tried to vote on all issues in a way that would reflect the wishes of the majority of Elba's citizens. You have my personal guarantee that I will continue to do so.

COMMITTED TO... I will continue strongly working to see that the deplorable condition of the downtown sidewalks and curbing is improved and they are restored to a safer and more appealing condition.

COMMITTED TO... I will also work toward getting open drainage ditches in residential areas piped and covered.

Your Consideration And Vote Will Be Appreciated!

Pd. Pol. Adv. By Charles Kennett, Elba, AL

Dr. Wicka To Hold Skin Cancer Clinic

As part of Elba General Hospital's ongoing community involvement, Dr. Stanley Wicka will conduct skin cancer examinations on Saturday, June 30, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the EGH emergency room. The examinations will be free of charge, and made in addition to EGH's regular quarterly medical giveaway. (For this quarter that service will be blood pressure screening.)

Dr. Wicka says that certain groups of people are more susceptible to skin cancer than others, these being people who spend a large amount of time out of doors in the sun. "Of course," he says, "skin cancer can develop in any individual, but those who do spend most of their time in the sun should pay particular attention to distressful skin areas."

WHAT IS SKIN CANCER?
Briefly, skin cancer is the growth

of cancer cells within the skin cells themselves. Many forms of what is called "skin cancer" are, in fact, not dangerous and can be resolved quickly by simply removing the lesion (distressful area or growth). As a general rule, skin cancer is slow-spreading, and if caught in the early stages may never spread to any other part of the body. However, if examination and detection are left too long, skin cancer, like any other form of cancer, can spread throughout the body, resulting in the most serious of health hazards.

Dr. Wicka is donating his time to perform these examinations in what he calls an effort on his part to provide a community service. He advised that one of the major reasons for having the examinations is to reassure area residents about non-cancerous growths which may have been bothering them. "These examinations should prompt people to check out a possible problem they have intended to get checked, but just haven't gotten around to doing so," he stated.

Dr. Wicka will examine all lesions (distressful areas or growths) presented for indications of skin cancer and advise each individual of his findings. Anyone may take advantage of this offer by EGH.

Still Waters Arts & Craft Show To be Held

The Tenth Annual Still Waters Arts/Crafts Show will be held Saturday and Sunday, August 4 and 5, at Still Waters Resort on beautiful Lake Martin near Dadeville, Alabama. The show will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday.

All proceeds from this two-day event will be donated to Camp ASCCA (Alabama Easter Seal Society). This beautiful camp for handicapped Alabamians of all ages provides a complete and therapeutic recreational program and served over 7,000 persons during 1983.

The show will feature artists from Alabama, Georgia, Florida and Mississippi. Handicapped campers will attend the show on both days to enjoy all the exhibits as well as the entertainment. Just imagine the smiles on the faces of an adult or child as they enjoy the crafts and the activities at the show. Come and help to send a camper to Camp ASCCA for a week or two this summer.

Admission will be \$2.00 for adults, children under 6 free. Ample parking and shuttle buses to transport you to the "Exhibit Area" will be available. There is fun for everyone.



MRS. HATTIE BASS of Teresa Street, Elba, displays a pod of okra growing on her running okra vine. She did not pull it, "because I wanted to see just how big it would get. The pod weighs two pounds and measures 19 inches in length. She has gathered other (smaller) pods and cooked them, even putting some in the freezer. "One pod will fill a pint bag - by packing it down," she said, "and it's really good. Tastes just like any other okra." Her mother-in-law, Grace Bass of Rutledge, gave her the seeds last year but she did not plant them until this year. Mrs. Bass fertilized her okra and other garden vegetables with bought cow manure.



OUTSTANDING DRAMA STUDENTS - Four students were honored as Outstanding Drama Students at Enterprise State Junior College at the Eleventh Annual Honors Assembly held recently. Shown, from left, are Russ Kimbrell, Enterprise; Tracey Kyser, Daleville; Dr. Richard Snyder, chairman, ESJC Fine Arts Division; Angie Rutland, Enterprise; and Steve Cowart, Elba.



ESJC STUDENTS RECEIVE UA SCHOLARSHIPS - Four Enterprise State Junior College students were presented scholarships from the University of Alabama at the Eleventh Annual Honors Assembly held recently. Receiving scholarships, from left, are John Sizemore, Enterprise; Dawn Money, Geneva; Richard Besdole, Enterprise; and Sandra Walker, New Brockton.



OUTSTANDING COMMUNICATIONS STUDENT - Joe Beckham, instructor, English and Communications Division at Enterprise State Junior College, left, presents a plaque to Bonnie Hall, Enterprise, the Outstanding Communications Student, at the Eleventh Annual Honors Assembly held recently at ESJC. Other students honored for their accomplishments in Communications are Richard Swan, Fort Rucker; and Sandra Walker, New Brockton, right.



CHANCEY RECEIVES ESJC SCHOLARSHIP - Amy Chancey, a graduate of Kinston High School, is shown receiving one of the first scholarships to be presented by the Enterprise State Junior College Foundation. Chip Quisenberry, coordinator, Student Financial Aid at ESJC, presented the scholarship during Honors Day ceremonies recently.

In making the announcement, Cardwell stated, "I am deeply concerned about all the people of our county and its governmental affairs. I feel that all our people should be given the utmost consideration in every act our commissioner's undertake. I state, quite frankly, that I do not and will not have all the solutions to the many problems that now face our county government, but with your encouragement, support and participation, I affirm my desire to humbly serve you in this office. I believe that a better tomorrow must start today."

"I am familiar with the needs of the school system," added Cardwell, a father of six children who were educated in county schools. "I pledge my support and cooperation to the educators, administrators and support personnel of the county school system, bearing in mind that the foremost objective of the system is to prepare our children to compete in the ever increasing complications of our society."

In closing, Cardwell said, "I reaffirm my strong support to the employees of the county who have devoted their work efforts to the well being of the people of our county. I also pledge to work hard and long for the easement of the many and various problems that face our elderly and handicapped."

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION

JULY 10, 1984

CITY OF ELBA

ALABAMA

For Mayor
VOTE FOR ONE

BOB M. ENGLISH

ROBERT FOLSOM

For Councilperson Place No. 1
VOTE FOR ONE

C. R. KENNETT

JACK PRESCOTT

For Councilperson Place No. 3
VOTE FOR ONE

JACKIE O. FARMER

FOYLE G. GUY

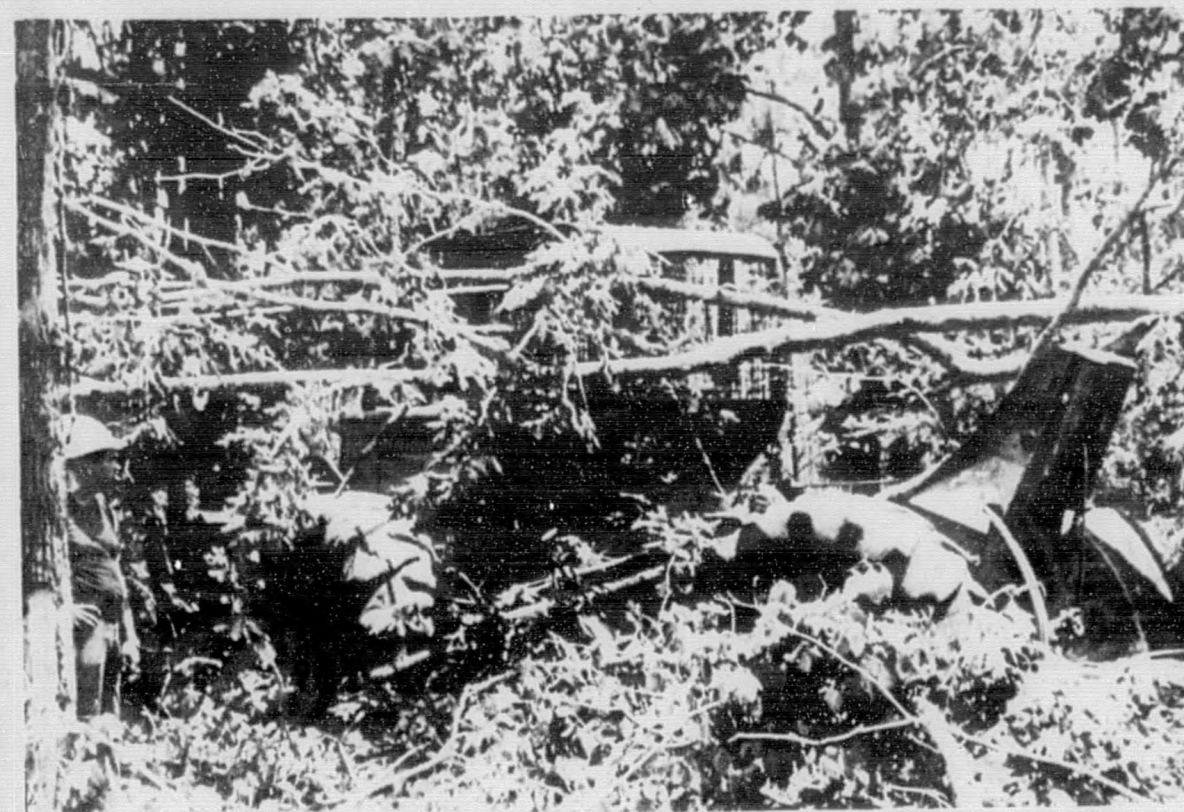
L. F. (Sonny) INMAN

GLADYS H. YELVERTON

For Councilperson Place No. 4
VOTE FOR ONE

L. M. BURCH

FRANCES S. TRAMELL



TREE COVERS SKIDDER - A fallen tree covers the skidder that was being operated by a local logger. The tree hit the logger and pinned him near the machine.

Logger Escapes Serious Injury After Being Pinned By Falling Tree

A Troy logger was lucky to escape with only minor injuries last week after being struck by a falling tree at a work site 11 miles north of Elba.

The logger, identified as Stan Bolling, was operating a skidder at the site and was getting off the machine to hook-up cut trees when

he saw a large tree falling near the skidder. He jumped to avoid the tree, but was struck and pinned under the fallen tree. The Elba Rescue Squad was called to the scene, located one-mile down a logging trail, and found Bolling still covered with limbs. The victim was carefully placed on a stretcher, for

fear of serious back injuries, and transported to the Elba General Hospital. Bolling was admitted to the hospital in satisfactory condition with a slight compression fracture of the thoracic vertebrae, as well as numerous bruises to the chest, back, head and left arm.

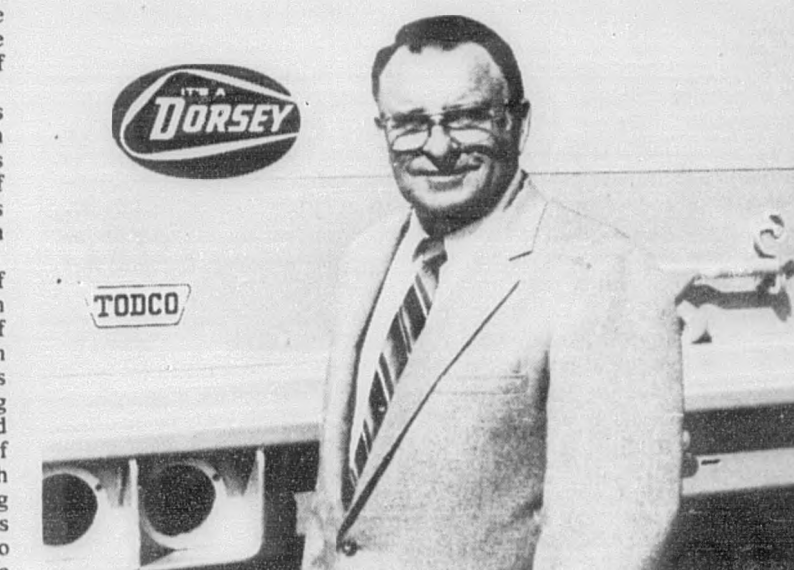
Russell Cash Promoted At Dorsey Trailers

Recently Roy Belcer, vice president of Engineering for Dorsey Trailers, Inc., announced the appointment of Russell Cash to the newly-created position of Chief Corporate Engineer.

Cash has been with Dorsey's Engineering Division for more than 23 years. At the time of this appointment, he held the title of Senior Engineer for Dorsey's Research and Development Division headquartered in Elba, AL.

His new position as Chief Corporate Engineer will enable Cash to utilize his quarter-century of trailer engineering experience on special assignments such as assisting with the engineering design of production equipment and plant layout, and the supervision of production lines. In addition, Cash will provide sales engineering assistance to the Dorsey Sales Department and also will continue to furnish design input for the corporate Research and Development Division.

During his long career with Dorsey Trailers, Cash has been instrumental in the engineering and proving of many successful commercial trailer designs that have made Dorsey an industry leader in product quality and toughness. Cash also was intimately involved in the design and production of equipment



Russell Cash, Chief Corporate Engineer for Dorsey Trailers, stands behind the new Dorsey Golden Series dry-freight van.

for handling and firing the original Redstone missile. More recently, he has become a leading industry expert in the engineering design, testing and proving of piggyback

equipment and chassis for marine-type containers. Cash is an engineering graduate of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, now Auburn University.

Inman Is Candidate For Place 3 On Elba City Council

Sonny Inman is a candidate for re-election to Place 3 on the Elba City Council.

Sonny is a graduate of Auburn University with a degree in Psychology and is a graduate Licensed Practical Nurse from MacArthur Technical College. He served as a paratrooper and in the Green Beret during World War II and Korean War. After military service he was employed with Department of the Army at Fort Rucker for 25 years, where he was a personnel specialist and director of civilian training while employed. After retirement from Civil Service

he was employed by the Elba General Hospital prior to attending nursing school. He is presently employed by the Nursing Department at MacArthur Technical College as a clinical instructor.

Inman lists as one of his major accomplishments prior to becoming a city councilman, the organization and building of the Elba Country Club.

He states that while serving on the City Council these past four years he has been instrumental in building the new Recreation complex, paving of streets in Elba, purchasing the police department

building, promoting the fire department, causing the fire insurance to decrease, and aiding in bringing the school system to its present level.

Inman says there is much more to be done in Elba, and he feels the city council needs sound, progressive, honest people, and he feels he can continue to move Elba forward.

He is married to the former Emma Margaret Cooper and they have four grown children.

20- Unit Apartment Complex Is Under Construction In Elba

Construction of a new 20-unit apartment complex is underway in Elba and tentative plans are set September 1 as the opening date.

The apartments, being constructed by Huff and Associates of Auburn, are located on Caroline Street and are to be low-to-middle

income dwellings. Though actual rent will be based on income, the minimum monthly rent is \$185, making it more accessible to moderate income families. The apartments are not HUD subsidized.

Though the apartments will

include two-story buildings, all units will be one-story and will include ten one-bedroom and ten two-bedroom units. The apartments will be carpeted, will include kitchen appliances and a storage area. A washateria will be housed in the facility housing the manager's office.

Elba Reserve Unit To Train At Ft. Campbell

One hundred ninety first Maint. Co., Elba, AL takes off for training, July 7, 1984. More than 80 citizens of Elba, AL will shed civilian togs for Army green on July 7, 1984 for two weeks of annual training, as the 191st Maint. Co. heads for Fort Campbell in Kentucky.

"This is a critical time of the year for us," said CPT Roderick Reynolds commander of the unit. We prepare all year for the chance to 'show our stuff' and work hand-in-hand with Active Army units.

CPT Reynolds pointed out that the 191st's Maint. Co. mission, in a mobilization, would be to provide maintenance support on mission material for combat units. While in training, this year, the unit is to sharpen its ability to perform that mission by General Support Maintenance for the 801st Maint. Bn. at Fort Campbell, KY, as well as putting its members through refresher training in basic soldering skills, such as weapons, firing, land navigation and first aid.

Members of the unit, like most of the other 250,000 Army Reserve unit members nationwide, devote about 24 days of their year to training. The members meet one weekend each month, in addition to the units two week annual training period.

Annual training is normally the most intensive training the unit receives, working on an active Army post, and working with and being tested by active Army counterparts.

In a mobilization, we'd have a very short amount of time to gather and get to the action," said CPT Reynolds "and Annual Training tests our abilities to do just that."

CPT Reynolds also said that the unit owes a special debt to its families and employers of its members. Support from home and work place are two of the most critical factors determining a Reservist decision to stay in uniform.

The Army Reserve was founded in 1908 as a small pool of physicians needed to support the Army Medical Department in a major military operation. It swiftly grew, and provided hundreds of thousands of officers and enlisted members to the Army in all major military actions since World War I.

Rep. Holley Appointed

Representative Jimmy Holley has been appointed to serve on the Alabama International Trade Promotion Oversight Committee and the Joint Legislative Committee to study the State Board of Education.

This announcement was made by Tom Drake, Speaker, Alabama House of Representatives on June 28, 1984.

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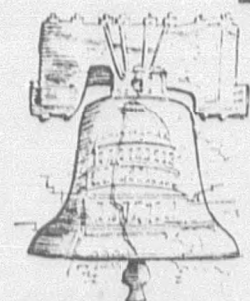
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NOTICE

We Will Be Closed Wednesday, July 4th and Thursday, July 5th, In Observance Of Independence Day.

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